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VIA ELECTRONIC FILING

Jocelyn G. Boyd, Esquire Chief Clerk & Administrator Public Service Commission of South Carolina 101 Executive Center Drive, Suite 100 Columbia, South Carolina 29210

RE:

Application of Chem-Nuclear Systems, LLC, a Subsidiary of EnergySolutions Company for Adjustment in the Levels of Allowable Costs and for Identification of

Allowable Costs (Fiscal Year 2021-2022)

Docket No. 2021-13-A

Dear Ms. Boyd:

Please find enclosed for filing in this docket, the South Carolina Office of Regulatory Staff's ("ORS") Examination Report of Chem-Nuclear Systems, LLC's ("CNS" or the "Company") Application and Amended Application. The ORS does not intend to file testimony in this matter. The ORS recommends CNS be allowed to retain, as recovery of its expenditures in operating the Barnwell Low Level Radioactive Waste Storage Facility for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2021, the amounts of fixed, variable, and irregular costs indicated in ORS's Examination Report. These amounts correspond with the amounts requested in the Company's February 25, 2022 Amended Application. In addition, the Company's Amended Application adopts the ORS's recommended adjustments to projected fixed and irregular costs for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2022, and ORS agrees the projected variable rates indicated in the Amended Application are reasonable.

Thank you for your consideration regarding this matter.

Sincerely,

Christopher M. Huber

Encl.

cc: All Parties of Record (via E-mail)

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